

TOWN OF ASHBURNHAM
WATER & SEWER
NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS

The owner of property will be charged for all water furnished to the premises during his/her ownership. When ownership changes, the name and address of the new owner should be given to the Water/Sewer office at once, so that bills may be properly rendered.

Failure of owners to receive the bill does not relieve them from an obligation of payment, or from consequence of its nonpayment.

Payment is due upon receipt. Interest accrued daily from the past due date at the rate of 14% interested per annum computed to the payment date. Past due bill may constitute a lien on the property and water service may be discontinued.

Requests for Abatement of the bill must be made within (30) days from date of postmark.

Should a meter fail to register the consumption, or if an actual meter reading cannot be obtained, the quantity of water used shall be estimated and the charge made shall be based on its average for the prior four billing periods.

All water passing through a meter will be charged for, whether it is used or wasted.

The Water Commissioners reserve the right at all times to shut off water temporarily without notice for repairs, extensions, alterations or other necessary work connected with the system.

Sump pumps are illegal. Water from a sump pump is not to enter the municipal sewer system. A fine of \$5,000 per day can be assessed.